

**EXTENDABLE/RETRACTABLE LEAD HAVING
DOWNSIZED LEAD BODY**

Abstract of the Disclosure

- 5 A lead assembly includes a flexible lead body extending from a proximal end to a distal end, and the lead body includes two or more conductors disposed therein. The second conductor is disposed within the first conductor, and the second conductor has a coating of insulation on the second conductor. In another option, a sleeve of insulative material is disposed between the first conductor and the second conductor.

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